

To acquire by purchase or otherwise, and to hold and dispose of mining rights, mining areas and mining properties.

To purchase, lease or otherwise acquire and hold any real estate or other property or interests necessary or convenient for the carrying out the objects and business of the Company with the right to sell, let, hypothecate, mortgage, convey or dispose of the same or any part thereof.

To equip, maintain and operate coal mines and other mines and generally to do all things necessary for the purpose of mining and working coal, ore and minerals and to facilitate such work.

To carry on the business of miners of coal or other minerals and to use, buy, sell and deal in the products of coal or other minerals and to utilize, manufacture, buy, sell and deal in any by-products thereof.

To build, establish, maintain and operate any buildings, works, and plant for the production or utilization of coke, semi-coke, briquette coal, gas, tar or other products of the resources of the company's properties or plants or of the district in which any of the Company's plants may be established.

To purchase, own, lease or other wise acquire and hold any patent or patent rights or other rights and utilize to sell, let or dispose of the same.

To pay for any real or personal property or rights acquired for the use of the company with capital stock of the company which when issued for such purpose shall be deemed to be and pass as fully paid up stock.

To purchase, hire, build or construct for use in connection with any business of the Company, buildings, storage depots, wharves, vessels, barges, tramways, cars, motor vehicles or other conveyances.

To carry on a general mercantile and supply business at or in the neighborhood of any of the Company's works or plants.

To enter into any agreement with any railway company or companies for the construction, use and operation of a spur or siding or line of railway connecting the mines of the said company with any line of railway.

To do any and all things which are incidental or necessary to the carrying out of the aforesaid objects, or which in the opinion of the directors of the said Company may be usefully carried on in connection with any business of the Company hereinbefore authorized.

To carry on any other business which may seem to the Company capable and conveniently carried on in connection with the above, or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value of the proper interests or assets.

To acquire any other business similar to its own and to enter into agreements for sharing profits, joint adventures or other arrangements of a like nature, with other business firms or corporations carrying on any similar or like business to the said business of this Company; by the name of "The Ridge Coal Company, Limited," with a total capital stock of twenty-four thousand dollars, divided into two hundred and forty shares of one hundred dollars each, and with the head office at Newcastle Bridge, in the County of Queens, in the Province of New Brunswick.

Dated at the office of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer, at Fredericton, the 3rd day of May, 1917.

ROBERT MURRAY,
Provincial Secretary-Treasurer.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY NOTICES

RULES AND PRACTICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

Private and Local Bills.

77. A typewritten copy or printed copy of every Private Bill or Local Bill introduced into this House shall be filed with the Clerk of the House within ten days after the opening of the Session, and in case of failure to comply with this provision the fee on the introduction of any such Private Bill shall be double the fee provided for in Rule 84 applicable to such Bill, and Local Bills introduced after ten days of the opening of the Session shall pay the same fee as a Private Bill.

78. No Private Bill, or Bill making an amendment of a like nature to a former Act, shall be received by the House, unless a notice, specifying clearly and distinctly the nature and objects thereof, has been published four successive weeks previous to the meeting of the Legislature, or to the introduction of the Bill, in some one of the newspapers published in the County interested in or to be affected by the measure, or in the locality where the parties affected, or the majority of them, reside; and when no newspaper is published in such county or locality, then in some newspaper having general circulation in such County or locality, and also in the Royal Gazette. When the City or County interested in the measure, or the locality in which the parties affected reside, is largely composed of a French population, then such notice shall also be published in a French newspaper, if any be published in the Province.

79. In any County where no newspaper may be published, the Bill, in lieu of other local publication, may be read at any Circuit or County Court, in the presence of the Grand Jury, or before the Municipal Council of the County interested in or affected by the Bill; and a certificate of such reading shall be indorsed therein, or attached to the said Bill, by the Clerk of the Court, or the Town Clerk, or the Secretary-Treasurer, as the case may be, verified by the Seal (if any) of the Court, Town Council or Municipal Council, as the case may be; and separate Petitions must be presented to the House setting forth in detail the object of the measure, and the reasons that may be urged for its adoption.

80. When any Bill affects Civil or Municipal interests, a notice distinctly specifying the purposes and objects of the Bill shall, at least one week before the introduction of such Bill into the House, be delivered to the Secretary-Treasurer of the County or to the Clerk of the City or Town which may be affected, and due proof of such notice shall be made by affidavit.

81. It shall be the duty of all parties seeking the interference of the Legislature in any Private Bills, to file with the Clerk of this House the evidence of their having complied with the Rules and Standing Orders thereof.

82. In default of such proof or evidence being so furnished,

it shall be the duty of the Clerk to report to Mr. Speaker, or the House, and to indorse upon the Bill that the Rules and Standing Orders have not been complied with.

84. No Private or Local Bill shall be received, unless it shall be certified by the Deputy Provincial Treasurer upon the Bill, or by certificate annexed thereto, that there has been paid into his hands towards the printing and other contingent expenses of the House the fees following, namely:

On Bills other than for the Incorporation of Companies, if not exceeding five pages..... \$50.00
For each additional page or part of a page..... 10.00
On Bills in amendment of such Acts, not exceeding five pages..... 30.00
For each additional page or part of a page..... 10.00

On Bills for the Incorporation of Companies or Associations, not having a stated capital or in amendment thereof, the like fees to be paid as above.

On Bills for the Incorporation of Companies having a stated capital, the same fee to be paid according to the amount of capital authorized as are imposed under the N. B. Joint Stock Companies Act, together with a fee for each page of the Bill exceeding five, of \$10.00.

On Bills in amendment of such Acts, one-third of the original fee, except when the capital is not increased nor powers extended, in which cases the same fee shall be paid as on Bills amending Acts for Incorporating Companies not having a stated capital.

A page, for the purposes of this Rule, shall mean not exceeding 500 words.

Provided, that where a Bill in respect of which such payment has been made, does not pass the Legislature, it may be introduced at the next following session, upon the payment of an additional sum of \$10.00; and

Provided, that where the Rule shall not extend to Acts for the incorporation or relating to the property or objects of churches, public halls or societies for charitable, literary or recreational purposes whose object is not private gain.

155. Proof of publication of Bills advertised under Rule 78 of the Rules and Practice of the House must be by affidavit or solemn declaration.

Forms of Bills can be obtained on application to the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly at his office in Fredericton.

Dated the first day of December, A. D. 1916.

HENRY B. RAINSFORD,

Clerk Legislative Assembly.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of New Brunswick at the next session for an Act to incorporate Tobique Narrows Pulp and Paper Company, Limited, for the purpose of erecting and maintaining a dam across the Tobique Narrows, at or near the steel bridge, or within one mile below, in the Parish of Perth, County of Victoria, Province of New Brunswick.

JOHN E. STEWART,

For the Applicant.
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Dated at Andover, March 10th, 1917.

CROWN LAND DEPARTMENT

NEW TIMBER APPLICATIONS.

Crown Land Office, May 2nd, 1917.

LICENSES to expire on the first of August, 1917, but subject to renewal to 1st August, 1932, in accordance with Chapter XI, 3 George V., 1913, for Saw Mill Licenses of the following applications for Timber Berths, for the purpose of cutting all classes of lumber, will be sold at this office at noon on Wednesday, the 16th day of May, 1917.

Upset price, \$20 per square mile, in addition to stumpage.

All timber, logs or other lumber cut upon unlicensed Crown Land, or which may be cut by any person beyond the limits of his own berth, shall be seized and forfeited to the use of the Crown; and no timber or lumber shall be cut on any berth applied for until it shall be purchased at public auction.

No.	Sq. Miles.	Name.
19. Newcastle River, Sunbury County—		
S. W. ¼ of Block No. 51, and the S. E.		
¼ of Block No. 47	2½	W. P. Miller
		E. A. SMITH,
		Minister of Lands and Mines.

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SALE OF CROWN LANDS.

Crown Land Office, May 2nd, 1917.

THE following lots of vacant Crown Land will be offered for sale at this office on Tuesday, the 5th day of June, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon. All improvements to be paid for at the time of sale, or as soon thereafter as the Minister of Lands and Mines determines the present value thereof. The said lots are sold subject to the cost of the survey, which will be in addition to the upset price.

CARLETON.

33 acres, western parts of lots 121 and 122 Victoria Settlement.
David H. Phillips. Upset price per acre, \$5.
37 acres, Lot letter T, in the 2nd tier west of River St. John.
John Doe. Upset price per acre, \$5.

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E. A. SMITH,
Minister of Lands and Mines.

SALE OF TIMBER LICENSES.

Crown Land Office, May 2nd, 1917.

THERE will be offered for sale at the Crown Land Office at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, the 16th day of May, 1917, the undermentioned timber licenses, the licensees of which, not having complied with the conditions of the Timber Regulations.

Upset price, \$20 per square mile, in addition to stumpage.

Any lumber cut before the date on which these licenses are sold will be the property of the Crown, to be dealt with as the Minister of Lands and Mines may determine.